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Dear Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action mailed November 21, 2005, one month up to and including March 21, 2006.

Our check in the amount of \$120 is enclosed. The commissioner is hereby authorized to debit any underpayment or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. 465377-01102 (33568/US/DJB).

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